THE WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Dur Regular Correspondent) Washington, D. C., May 14, 1900, the South. President McKinley hears a great deal of political talk just now from his callers, many of whom he surprises by his intimate knowledge of in a couple of weeks. political conditions in their states, Col. W. T. Durbin, republican candiform a visit to France. date for Governor of Indiana, who was one of his late callers, assured the President that the Republican party of that state was in splendid condition and would carry the state by a handsome majority.

Gov. Roosevelt's visit to Washington has demonstrated that he is one of the most popular men in publie life. This was shown wherever he went, and his popularity is by no means confined to Republicans. When he went to the Capitol he was greeted quite as cordially by Demo. pack, N. J. erats as by the members of his own Frederick Beadle, a regular visitor

Democrats are saying, on the ators Butler and Pettigrew, who are few days recently. charged with responsibility for the nomination of Towne for Vice President, by the Sioux City Populist Convention. Publicly they are the hotel Fauchere. afraid to express opinions about Towne's nomination

Senator Spooner has, according to secured the honor of presenting work in New York Tuesday. President McKinley's name to the Philadelphia Convention. He is visit their daughter, Mrs. Alan Johnwell fitted to do justice to the subject and to the occasion. Among June 6th. the prominent men who will make speeches seconding the nomination

Representative O'Grady introduced a delegation from Rochester, N. Y. to President McKinley. They extended an invitation to the Presigiven in honor of Gen. Otis, June city. 15th, and he said he would consider it a privlege to join in honoring Gen. Otis, whose work in the Phillippines entitled him to the unstinted praise of the American people, think any person should be present, who, by reason of superior rank, would share the honors intended for Gen. Otis alone.

while the Naval Appropriation bill dietown parties also enjoyed a ride his troop is May 25. He expects to was being discussed by the Senate here the same day with a horseless which is regarded as an official no- vehicle. tice to Europe that this Government trine, is the one important question Shepherd. upon which there is no political division in the Senate. Incidentally Memoral Day, One Dollar Ney York, Mr. Lodge served notice on Germany that no dickering for the possession of the Danish West Indies would be folerated by this government. It was not a jungo speech, but a plain statement of the situation. Said Mr. Lodge: "My reason for desiring leave Port Jervis at 7:00 A, M. arly is my belief that the safety of the ly is my belief that the safety of the U. S. depends upon the strength of our Navy. We do not need the our Navy. We do not need the in the Base-Ball games both morn-Navy for the protection of our in. ing and afternoon at Polo Grounds prise will be appreciated, and when sular possession. The danger lies between the New York, and Pittsin our great coast line and in the burg, Clubs and at Washington defence of the Monroe Doctrine in Park Brooklyn between the Chamthis hemisphere." Of the relation pion Brooklyn, and St Louis Clubs, of a stronger Navy to the Isthmian there will also be special Matinees Canal, Mr. Lodge said: "We are about to enter upon the construction of an Isthmian canal, and we must like York will be in full blast, this be the mayal masters of the Carri- will be the opening day for Coney Drake from Unionville, where be rebean sea. We must have a more Island, and the Iron Steamboats will sides, to Port Jervis, last Saturday powerful fleet than we have to day. run every hour. The returning night fell dead on his arrival home. The safety of the canal depends upon the strength of our navy. All
on the strength of our navy. All on the strength of our navy. A admit that the canal ought to be w. Remember the day Wednesday built, and the time is near when May 30th, and rate only one dollar the work will be begun. If we are for the round trip. to protect the canal as well as our coast, we must have a navy proportionately strong. I hope and believe that we shall have no war, but a ing in the post office at Milford for great fleet is the best insurance of peace. However, we would be foolish, indeed, if we should close our eyes to the possibilities of the situation. We could never allow the date of this list. Danish islands to pass into any other hands than ours. Any European nation which should undertake right on the road to the Canal, and to make them a great naval station thy seed at W. & G. Mitchell's. to take possession of those islands, would by that very act become an to no such thing as that." The odof parifying the blood and invigor, piles and all skin diseases. Look out speech made a sensation is diplo. ating the system is to to take De Witt's worthless imitations. to all of the great European powers. pills for cleansing the liver and bowels | Subscribe for the Pages.

PERSONALS.

F. X. Jardon is here again from

Mrs. M. Rodolph is spending a week in New York.

Col. A. E. Lewis is expected home

Miss Anna Schanno has returned

Mrs. C. H. VanWyck was in New York a day this week.

John A. Kipp is spending a few days in town this week

Ed. Klein was at Middl: town, No Y .. Saturday on business.

Paul Schanno, of New York, made bore. a brief visit here this week.

son Silas in Plainfield N. J. Postmaster Lattimore and family

for the season. Kate Hipsman, of Shohela visited

After spending the winter in New York Daisy Bensley has returned to

Wm. McWade, foreman of the Port Jervis Union, visited Vandermark Lodge last evening.

John Van Etten after a brier siege the understanding in Washington, of German measles returned to his

Jas. W. Pinchot and wife expect to tson, soon and will sail for Europe

Rev. C. B. Carpenter and Dr. H. will be Gov. Roosevelt, of New E. Emerson are in Scranton this ment. week attending a convention of the Episcopal church.

H. Stubedoff, after spending several days in Philadelphia, returned home this whek accompained by his couple expect to visit the Paris Exwife, who has been making a pro-position. dent to attend the banquet to be tracted visit with friends in that

passed several summers in town. on Ann street near the Bluff House but for the fact that he did not and will grace Milford with their presence as usual during the heated

G. W. Hubbard, of Port Jervis,

ir prepared to fight to maintain the church, and wife, and Mr. Butler ployed in Port Jervis. Monroe Doctrine, if necessars, which and wife, of Mauch Chunk, will be was supplemented by Senator Daniel in Milford over next Sunday Con- day evening were of an interesting with a few remarks, showing that firmation of a class will occur at 4 nature. The Junior and Senior Ep- And one came from Port Jervis, the maintenance of the Monroe Doc | p. m. in the Church of the Good

Excursion.

On Wednesday May 30th, Memopeople of Milford, and vicinity an very good music. opportunity to visit New York, on a week day, a special train will bridge across the Raymondskill at

Unclaimed Letters. List of unclaimed letters remain-

week ending May 19 1900.

CHARLES LATTEMORE, P. M.

Just Received

Mammoth and medium cloves

BRIEF MENTION.

H B Wells lost one of his large team horses this week

Ladies Club met yesterday with Mrs. H G. Williamson

R. Humbert expects to build new house on Water street. Henry Hillebrand entertained a few

city friends over last Sunday. L. Armstrong has sold his team of horses to Gregory Brothers.

The hand organ and hot weather are here. Spring sure enough. Examine current bushes for worms.

Hon, E. Pinenot is not enjoying Mrs. A. T. Seeley is visiting her good health and seems quite debitataed.

Cemetery gate.

in town, is here again with his wire Lodge attended the supper Wednesday evening at Port Jervis. Service may be expected at the

permitting

been made puble. Sheriff VanderMark with a jury of Dingman Tsp. in partition proceedings at \$1800.

John Schreiber and wife, of Delaware, desire to publicly express their heartfelt thands to the friends who so kindly manifested such warm sympathy in their recent bereave

The wedding of Dr. Mary Green walt and W. A. Erdman Esq , editor of the Jeffersonian at Stroudsburg, is announced for June 9th. The

Dr. von der Heyde fully sympathising with the aches and pains of r W. R. Willis and family, who have his patients seeks to alleviate both have again leased the Mott cottage | ide in his parlors. "Laughing gas" takes away the terror of having teeth extracted.

Geo. W. Nyce, who left town some days ago to rejoin his regiment, received an extension of furlough and with Post Master S. D. Boyce, of has been in Milford for a short time that village were at Milford Tuesday this week. He left Wednesday and Senator Ledge made a short speech with a neat automoble. Some Mid-will sail for Nuevitas, Cuba, where obtain his discharge during the summer and will then return to the Bishop Talbot, of the Episcopal United States and probably be reem-

worth League societies recited their pledges. Bessie Armstrong recited a short poem and Miss Grace Boyd read an incident in the life of Wesley. A number gave testimony and the pastor made a brief but earnest adrial Day, the Erie will give the dress. The choir also rendered some

Jack Biollotat has completed a new he and Henry Tissot, who ownes an adjoining farm, finish their proposed improvements along the road it-will be a fine piece of work.

Bert Harding who is well known wife, William Drake and Stephen Drake attended the funeral which was held Tuesday.

Volcanic Eruptions.

Are grand, but Skin Eruptions please say "Advertised" and give ons, Corns, Warts, Cots, Bruises, date of this list.

CHARLES LATTIMORE, P. M.

CHARLES LATTIMORE, P. M. Drives out Pains and Aches.. Only 25 cents a box. Cure guranteed Sold by druggists.

> it cured what the doctors called an Tell her that I am busy now, but ere January last 1900. incurable nicer on my jaw."

AN OLD MEMORY.

On Point Peter near Port Jervis, Following is a poom which will doubtless awaken pleasant reminis. "I saw the Delaware flow on,-I ceness among make who have so nearly reached the summit of lifes The locomotives whistle in chorus in Brown's Hall on Friday evening hill that they can look over into the valley beyond and see in the distance | And down the pleasant river, and the shadows which are gathering. It will cause them to go back in The screeching chorus sounded, torian. thought to the morning of life when that hill which they have with toil ascended, was bathed with the And her large blue eyes were on me. sunlight of hope and youthful dreams Now the space between that morn-If infested dust with powdered helle- ing and the present appears to be only a brief dream, a span. During And her kid-klov'd hand by lightly, the years 1866 and 1867 Prof. A. B. Wilbur, recently Superintendent of We are happy at Port Jervis, which Public Schools at Port Jervis, and more recently employed in the same His voice grew faint and hearcer,-A band of gypsies encamped this capacity at Middletown N. Y., where spent Sunday with relatives in Wai. week at their usual piace, near the he now resides, conducted a private school in the brick building recent-A number from VanderMark ly owned by the late Jacob May, on Pike street, Port Jervis, N. Y. The scholars edited a school paper which was read before the school and its quiet, many harsh things about Sen- her sister, Mrs. Dunham Gregory, a Sawkill school house next Sunday, guests at stated intervals. One of May 20th, at 2:30 p. m. the weather the contributions to such a paper by James K. Lavingston, then a mere On the table of that study-room, The engagement of Miss Mary lad was the following poem written Margerum, of Deckertown N. J., and along the meter of the well known a Mr. Adams, of New York, has poem of "Bingen on the Rhine." Through the kindness of friend, who has obtained permission of Mr. five men recently valued the farm of Livingston, now residing at Sarataga the late Sheriff D. D. Newman in Springs N. Y. we are enabled to place it for the first time before the larger public:

> PORT OR THE ERIE LINE. A pale and careworn student sat

> snoozing in his chair, There was no sweet face to look at, there was none to smooth his

But his Virgil lay beside him while he slept the hours away, And bent with curious glauces

hear what he might say. The sleepy student squinted as he took it in the light,

And he said,-"I shant" be able to go up town to-night; wish you'd take a message to th

village friends of mine, end has now introduced nitros ox- For I live near Port Jervis, which is thought along these different lines on the Erie Line.

> 'Tell my good old school companions, when they mees and crowd about.

To hear from you the reason way to-night I don't come out,

That I'm translating bravely, and before the clock strikes one,

Full fifty lines of Aeneas I'll conquer ere I'm done. And midst the books around me are ant one, it is an ideal place to meet. and wife and was born in this village

some grown old in wars, Their faces 'orn by school boys, who their hospitality, elegant drives, in 1893 when she removed with her here Sunday. gave them many sears:

which is on the Eric Lane.

"Tell my mother that her other sons must work for her to-night, As I'm a literary chap, my Latin I

must fight : For my father was a scholar, and even as a child

My heart leap'd forth to hear him tell of Greek words long and wild:

And when he died and left'us to divide his scanty will,

I let them take whate'er they would, but kept his old books still. And with boyish love I placed them Where my oil lamp used to

On my table at Port Jervis, which

is on the Eric Line, "Tell my sister not to bother me,

nor round my table lurk, When my brothers come in from the barn and from their outdoor work : But to try and hush their nelsy ton-

gues, or quiet them in sleep, And if a lover seeks her hand I hope Eichbaum to John M. Schumaker

she will say 'nay,' And not be so foolish as herself away ;

tond for fdle scorning,-

My lessons will be nicely learned

Last night I dream'd I stood with

and I will quit this prison.

the sun be risen,

place, (my father's books and ter Con. \$1700. mine,) rob life of joy. Bucklea's Arnica mine,)

Ladies—Mrs. Bertha Johnson.

Persons claiming the above will and Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felis on the Eric Line.

Commissions as Justices of the Peace have been recorded to W. H. Courtright, Milford Boro., Henry B.

'There's another-not a sister ; she is my bride elect, You'll know her by the waterfall Swartwood, Lehman.

that thumps upon her neck; Too innocent for coquetry-too \$10 Reward paid for the finding of Woodtown Shohola Township in

> Deer Park Land Company. J. B. Lung President, 1337 Eastern Porkway, Brooklyn, N. Y.

her and saw the sunlight shine, SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT.

The commencement exercises of tainment of the schools will be held Tuesday is rather unusual. May 25, 1899.

Those graduating are: Miss Jennie Struthers-Valedic-

Miss Hattle Horton-Salutatorian. Miss Doro Rochotte-Historian. Miss Meda Boyd-Poet.

as we passed with pleasant talk, Therelasa motto is Finis coroant and seemed an endless distance away. Down the path beyond the Mountain opus and the colors the two Laven-House, that steep old gravel ders.

County Superintendent Sawyer

Junior class

OBITUARY.

MRS. JOHN SCHMEIDEL.

Mrs. Richard Blizzard, Louisa, Elsie,

ELLEN A. SCOTT.

Allie and Hannah all at home.

officiating, was held Tuesday.

A Powder Mill Explosion

Removes everything in sight; so

do drastic mineral pills, but both

T. Armstrong and Co. have just re-

Rhetoric and Literature.

Those who have passed successful every nerve. By so doing I did examinations and been admitted to manage to catch a faint noise. the Junior grade are: Edna Klner,

his grasp was childish weak, Cora Struble, His eyes put on a sleepy look,-he Bessie Jennings, sigh'd and ceased to speak. George Turner, His Virgil still lay near him, but George Lattimore,

stlent he did keep,-Lewis Gregory The great student of Port Jervis, in The following outline of study his sanctum,-was asleep! ourse was adopted by the board of And the sun rose slowly, and calm

in 1899, Senior: Geometry, plane, with tattered school books Botany, strown: Latin, Cosar, Yea, calmly on that sqlemn scene,

Algebra, advanced, his bright light seem'd to shine, General History, As it shone on fair Port Jervis, Physical Geography, which is on the Eric Line. Book keeping JAMES K. LIVINGSTON, JR. February 9, 1867.

To Teachers, Directors and Friends, of Education in Pennsylvania:

which is on the Eric Line

heard or seemed to hear,

up the rock-bound hill,

confidingly in mme:

is on the Eric Line."

ly he looked down

through the evening calm and

loud and clear :

walk:

I desire to call your special attention to the next meeting of the Pennsylvania State Teachers Association, which will be held this year in the city of Williamsport, Pa., July

3d to 6th inclusive. Every enrolled member of this Association will receive a copy of the address and other proceedings not only of the State Teachers' Association but of the City, Borough and Township Superintendents' Convention and of the State Directors' As-

in the State. I appeal to the friends of education in Pennsylvania to enroll in large numbers. There are over 25,-000 teachers in the State in the publie schools alone and the number of superintendents, teachers, directors and others friends of education en- home Sunday May 13 after a short dollars per year.

The trip to Williamsport is a pleasand the excursion to Eaglesmers husband to Chicago. Besides her Those boys were young-and sud- will be a great attraction. The pro- bereaved husband three small childdenly beheld those days decline, gram is excellent; turn out in large ren survive. numbers and show your interest in Her surving brothers and sisters the great educational Association of are Mrs. P. J. Girard, of Brooklyn,

your State. If you find it utterly impossible to Julia, George, Frank and Harry all attend the meeting send your enroll- living in Philadelphia. ment fee of \$1.00 to Prof. S. Keck, Treasurer, Kutztown, Pa., who will promptly send you a certificate of membership.

Let me not plend in vain for our this meeting a record-breaker.

John A. M. Passmore, Real Estate Transfers.

Frederick K. Koster and wife to Maria W. Wortkington dated May 2 115 as. Dingman Con. \$1.

Helen J. Cadmus to Emily O. Bacon dated Oct. 6, 1897. Land in Shohola Con. \$10.

Elizabeth Shepherd et al to Mon-roe Strait dated June 1 1899. Land namite the delicate machinery of in Westfall Con. \$70.

amoras Water Co. dated May 9 same land Con. \$200. Chas. Eichbaum and Margaret

moras Con. \$1600. Merchants Trust Co. to Geo Weis-But to keep my school books in their brod et. al datea April 5 400 as. Por-

> Commissions as Justices of the entirely gratified. Reed, Milford township, M. O. Smith boxes of DeWitt's witch hazel salvo"

thief who stole one no top Buggy and repair shop on Harford street, get her breath and the first dose re J. C. Kennedy, Roanoke, Tenn., says, "I cannot say too much for De Witt's witch hazel salve. One box of whole family." It acts immediatenecessary repairs.

prices at T. Armstrong & Co's.

PICKED UP BY THE RAMBLER.

Snow on the 11 inst. theremomethe Milford High School and enter- tor 108 at Armstrongs' pharmacy

> at the Jardon House. It is not likely that Frank Hennessy will visit Milford again in a hur-

Improvements are still in progress

Miss Cora Leidel has improved to

the extent to be able to go out. Jas. E. Boyd is making improve-

ments to his barn Did you hear the Fire bell? I knew the time it was going to ring, will make an address on the oceas- took the cotton out of my ears shut the cats in the cellar and strained

I am sorry to hear that Daniel

Drake is ill again. One of Gus. Schutz's horses came to Milford alone Friday night, but died before it got back home.

The broken streetlamp in the lower end of the town is replaced, but the one on the corner of Mott street directors of the Independent district got a broken head some how last

> The river road is getting in good shape now for wheeling.

Mrs. Josephine Schubiger a former resident of this town but now of Montague had the misfortune to fall headlong down a flight of stairs at her residence sustaining painful injuries to her body and head. Dr. Orthography, Arithmetic, Civics, Lambert, of Port Jervis, has her in Latin (lessons), Algebra, Physics, charge,

The Board of chosen Freeholders The examination of the Senior of Sussex County met at Newton on class this year was rigid, as is shown the S inst. to settle up the finances by the questions, which were framed of that County. As Sussex County to develop the general information adjoins us I will give a few figures possessed by the scholars in the sev- how much it takes to run things overal branches, and all passed with er there. The total amount of taxvery high marks thus showing the es raised last year was \$148,797.51. care which had been exercised by Bridges cost, \$6780.48 Courts, 9384.69 the teachers, and the thoughful ap- Elections, 2849.52 Freeholders 2618. plication of the students. Especial- 15 Jail, 1738, 98, The new Alms ly was the Senior class, under Prof. house cost 4528.18. The number of J. C. Watson, well prepared and inmates in the Alms house is 73. evidenced by their answers to the There were 2 births and 8 deaths in sociation, thus getting the very best questions that their time has been the institution last year. Outside most profitably spent under his di- of the products of the fine farm belonging to the County it takes nearly seven thousand dollars a year to keep the County's poor. This does not include any temporary assistance given to the needy by the town-Nettie Berthoud, wife of John ship overseers of the poor. The fee chmeidel, of Chicago, died at her paid the County Treasurer is 500

rolled should not be less than 10,000. Illness aged about twenty-five years. I notice Ben. is enjoying himself

She was a daughter of Fred Berthoud behind his new trotter. The smiling face of Thomas M. fine hotels, its citizens noted for where she resided until her marriage Carty of Port Jervis was seen down

> The place to get some fine home made bologna is at Boyds Meat

A sure sign of summer: A camp of gypsies.

The services in the M. E church Sunday evening were very interesting. The remarks by the postor were very instructive and it would Ellen, a daughter of Michael and be well to heed his advice.

Rachel Scott, died at her fathers The farm house of Martin V. home in this village last Saturday Westbrook situated along the Deckdear old Commonwealth to make after a brief illness aged about 18 ertown turnpike about 2 miles above years. Besides her parents she is the Brick house was totally destroysurvived by half brothers John, of ed by fire Saturday afternoon with Port Jervis, George and Edward, of nearly all of its contents. Mrs. Milford, and brothers and sisters Westbrook was the only one at home Frank, Martha, Ella, Michael, Mary, and she was at the barn when she discovered the fire which had gained The funeral, Rev. C. E. Scudder such headway that it was impossible to save anything of any consequence. House and contents were insured for \$600, each.

The City Boarder.

"Backward, turn backward, oh time in thy flight; feed me on gruel oe Strait dated June 1 1899. Land a Westfall Con. \$70.

Monroe Strait and wife to the Matmoras Water Co. dated May 9 same and Con. \$200.

Chas. Eichbaum and Margaret Conduction of Control butter as strong as Goliath of Gath. Weary of paying for what I don't dated May 7. Lots 520 531 Mata-erived a complete line of mens', wom eat, chewing up rubber and calling moras Con. \$1600. ever brought in this town, which you for weary I am ; give me a whack at are invited to call and inspect, with an assurance that any taste or desire as to shape, style and quality can be milk that has never been skimmed, rif let me eat butter whose hair has been trimmed. Let me once more "After suffering from piles for fif- have an old-fashioned pie, and then

Courtright, Milford Boro., 1989.

Beed, Milford township, M. O. Smith boxes of DeWitt's witch hazer saive and John R. Gilphin, Greene, G. E. writes W. J. Baxter, North Brook, N. C. It heals everything. Beware counterfeits.

J. Q. Hood, Justice of the Peace. Crosby, Miss., makes the following statement: "I can certify that one statement: "I can certify that one P. C. Rutan has opened his bicycle claimed for it. My wife could not wholes and sundries, and an experienced workman in charge to make grippe, bronchitis, asthma and all tf throat and lung troubles.

> Ladies' shirt waists all styles and Hats and caps. Latest Styles at T. Armstrongs & Co's.